

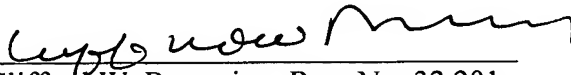
## REMARKS

In the final Office Action mailed October 13, 2009, the Examiner indicated allowable subject matter in paragraphs 5 and 6 thereof, which stated that claims 22-24 are allowed, and the Examiner stated that claim 21 would be allowable if rewritten to overcome the rejections under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, set forth in the final Office Action, and to include all the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Applicants believe that they have overcome the rejections under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, and that they have reformatted claim 21 into an independent claim including the limitations of the base claim 19 and intervening claim 20. In addition, claims 15-18 have been amended to dependent from the claim 21.

It is therefore believed that all claims now pending are in allowable condition, having been put in that condition by following the explicit directions of the Examiner to accomplish that end, and therefore Applicants believe that the claims, as currently amended, are all allowable over all the prior art of record.

Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the foregoing claim amendments under Rule 116 and then to allow all of the claims presently pending, as amended by the Rule 116 amendments, over all the prior art of record.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
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